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LOBBYING REPORT

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Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name Ashland Inc.			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 601 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W. Suite 540 North Washington, D.C.			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Covington State/Zip (or Country) Kentucky/41012/0391			
4. Contact Name Michael J. Toohy		Telephone 202-223-8290	E-mail (optional) mjtoohy@ashland.com
			5. Senate ID # 31245000
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 31245000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 1999 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ⇨ Termination Date _____

11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>530,000</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)
Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options. <input type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only <input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code <input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

Signature Michael J. Toohy

Printed Name and Title MICHAEL J. TOOHEY DIRECTOR, GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

Registrant Name Ashland Inc. Client Name Self

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code AVI (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues
H.R. 1000 by SHUSTER (R-PA) - Aviation Investment and Reform Act for the 21st Century

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
House of Representatives

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Mike Toohay		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
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19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Signature Michael J. Toohay Date February 10, 2000
Printed Name and Title MICHAEL J. TOOHAY DIRECTOR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

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15. General issue area code BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 111 by SHUSTER (R-PA) -- Truth in Budgeting Act

H.R. 1141 by YOUNG (R-FL) -- Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1999

H.R. 1906 by SKEEN (R-NM) - Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2000

H.R. 2605 Fiscal 2000 Energy and Water Appropriations

H.R. 2084 Fiscal 2000 Transportation Appropriations

S. 359 by GRAMS (R-MN) -- Taxpayer Protection Lock-box Act of 1999

S. 360 by GRAMS (R-MN) -- Emergency Spending Control Act of 1999

S. 1143 Fiscal 2000 Transportation Appropriations

S. 1186 Fiscal 2000 Energy and Water Appropriations

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate

House of Representatives

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this area

<u>Name</u>	<u>Covered Official Position (if applicable)</u>	<u>New</u>
Mike Toohey		
Shannon Russell		
Brenda Fleming		

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Registrant Name Ashland Inc. Client Name Sell

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15. General issue area code CAW (One per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 547 by CHAFEE (R-RI) – Credit for Voluntary Reduction of Greenhouse Gas Emission
H.R. 11 by BILBRAY (R-CA) – Clean Air Act
HR2221 – Climate Change

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate
House of Representatives
Environmental Protection Agency

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)	New
Brenda Fleming		
Mike Toohy		

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15. General issue area code CHM (One per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

HPV Challenge Program
H.R. 410 by RAHALL (D-WV) – Mineral Exploration and Development Act of 1999
H.R. 657 by SWEENEY (R-NY) – Acid Deposition Control Act
S. 172 by MOYNIHAN (D-NY) – Acid Deposition and Ozone Control Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate
House of Representatives
EPA

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15. General issue area code CPI (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 775 – Y2K Liability

S. 96 – Y2K Liability

S. 174 by MOYNIHAN (D-NY) – Y2K State and Local Government Assistance Programs Act of 1999

PL 106-37 by DAVIS (R-VA) – Y2K Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate

House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code CSP (One per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Auto On-Board Diagnostics (OBD)

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Senate
House of Representatives
EPA

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15. General issue area code ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 59 Regulatory Right-to-know Act of 1999
HR 1074 Regulatory Right-to-know Act of 1999
S. 20 by LAUTENBERG (D-NJ) -- Brownfields and Environmental Cleanup Act of 1999
H.R. 3505 by DOOLEY (D-CA) -- Clean Air Act, Amendment [370 lines]
H.R. 25 by Boehlert (R-NY) -- Acid Deposition and Ozone Control Act
S. 746 by LEVIN, CARL (D-MI) -- Regulatory Improvement Act of 1997 Resource, Conservation and Recovery Act Reform
S. 266 by FEINSTEIN (D-CA) -- Clean Air Act, Amendment re: RFG
S. 495 by BOND (R-MO) -- Clean Air Act, Amendment
S. 547 Climate Change
HR 1510 by LEWIS (D-GA) -- Environmental Justice Act of 1999
Superfund Reauthorization
Chemical Use reporting
Toxic Use Reduction (EPA Rulemaking)
H.R. 2221 Climate Change
SARA Title III reporting
HR 1300 Superfund Reauthorization/Superfund Reform
S. 1090 Superfund Reform
S. 1105 Superfund
HR 350 Mandates Information Act of 1999
S. 880 EPA Risk Management Plans (RMPS)
H.R. 1790 EPA Risk Management Plans (RMPS)
S. 481 by SCHUMER (D-NY) -- Environmental Crimes and Enforcement Act of 1999
S. 882 Energy and Climate Policy Act of 1999
H.R. 375 by FRELINGJUYSSEN (R-NJ) -- Superfund Liability Exemption for Local Education Agencies Act
H.R. 376 by FRELINGJUYSSEN (R-NJ) -- Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, Amendment re: Superfund
H.R. 617 by DEGETTE (D-CO) -- Federal Facility Superfund Compliance Act of 1999

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
Senate
House of Representatives
Environmental Protection Agency

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Brenda Fleming		
Mike Toohey		
Shannon Russell		

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15. General issue area code ENV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 999 by BILBRAY (R-CA) – Federal Water Pollution Control Act, Amendment
S. 20 by LAUTENBERG (D-NJ) – Brownfields and Environmental Cleanup Act of 1999
S. 481 by SCHUMER (D-NY) – Environmental Crimes and Enforcement Act of 1999
S. 1528 by LOTT (R-MS) - Superfund Recycling Equity Act of 1999
S. 172 by MOYNIHAN (D-NY) – Acid Deposition and Ozone Control Act
H.R. 2580 by GREENWOOD (R-PA) - Land Recycling Act of 1999
H.R. 410 by RAHALL (D-WV) – Mineral Exploration and Development Act of 1999
H.R. 657 by SWEENEY (R-NY) – Acid Deposition Control Act

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Senate
House of Representatives
Environmental Protection Agency

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Shannon Russell		

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15. General issue area code FIN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 1492 by MACK (R-FL) - Economic Growth and Price Stability Act of 1999

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
Senate

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Mike Toohey		

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15. General issue area code EUE (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 722 by KANJORSKI (D-PA) -- Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969 Amendment

H.R. 888 by KILDEE (D-MI) -- Clean Gasoline Act of 1999

S. 171 by MOYNIHAN (D-NY) -- Clean Gasoline Act of 1999

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives

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Mike Toohey		

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15. General issue area code GOV (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 417 Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act of 1998
H.R. 2245 by MCINTOSH (R-IN) - Federalism Act of 1999
S. 16 Congressional Election Campaign Spending Limit and Reform Act of 1999
S. 26/1593 by McCAIN (R-AZ) - Bipartisan Campaign Finance Reform Act of 1999
S. 746 by LEVIN, CARL (D-MI) -- Regulatory Improvement Act of 1997
S. 250 by HATCH (R-UT) - Federal Prosecutor Ethics Act
S. 1198 by SHELBY (R-AL) - Congressional Accountability for Regulatory Information Act of 1999
S. 1214 by THOMPSON (R-TN) - Federalism Accountability Act of 1999
S. 1244 by THOMPSON (R-TN) - Truth in Regulating Act of 1999
S. 1816 by HAGEL (R-NE) - Open & Accountable Campaign Finance Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate
House of Representatives

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this area

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Shannon Russell		
Brenda Fleming		
Mike Toohey		

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15. General issue area code HCB (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 216 by NORWOOD (R-GA) – Access to Quality Care Act of 1999

H.R. 217 Health Care Reform

H.R. 358 by DINGELL (D-MI) – Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 1999

H.R. 448 by BILIRAKIS (R-FL) – Patient Protection Act of 1999

H.R. 719 by GANSKE (R-IA) – Managed Care Reform Act of 1999

S. 24 by SPECTER (R-PA) – Health Care Assurance Act of 1999

S. 240 by DASCHLE (D-SD) – Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 1999

S. 265 by FEINSTEIN (D-CA) – Hospital Length of Stay Act of 1999

S. 300 by LOTT (R-MS) – Patients' Bill of Rights Plus Act

S. 374 by CHAFEE (R-RI) – Promoting Responsible Managed Care Act of 1999

S. 1344 by NICKLES (R-OK) – Patients Bill of Rights Plus Act

H.R. 16 by DINGELL (D-MI) – Program of National Health Insurance, Provision re: single payer government health insurance

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives

Senate

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Mike Toohey		
Brenda Fleming		
Holly Dunton		

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15. General issue area code HCB (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 2041 by GRANGER (R-TX) – Patient Right to Obstetric and Gynecological Care Act of 1999

H.R. 2042 by UPTON (R-MI) – Health Care Access, Affordability, and Quality Advisory Commission Act of 1999

H.R. 2043 by KELLY (R-NY) – Patient Right to Unrestricted Medical Advice Act of 1999

H.R. 2044 by SHERWOOD (R-PA) – Patient Right to Pediatric Care Act of 1999

H.R. 2045 by TOOMEY (R-PA) – Patient Right to Emergency Medical Care Act of 1999

H.R. 2046 by FLETCHER (R-KY) – Patient Access to Information Act of 1999

H.R. 2047 by TALENT (R-MO) – Small Business Access and Choice for Entrepreneurs Act of 1999

H.R. 2089 by BOEHNER (R-OH) – Group Health Plan Review Standards Act of 1999

H.R. 2723 by DINGELL (D-MI) – Bipartisan Consensus Managed Care Act

H.R. 2824 by COBURN (R-OK) – Health Care Quality and Choice Act of 1999

H.R. 2926 by BOEHNER (R-OH) – The Comprehensive Access and Responsibility in Health Care Act of 1999

H.R. 2990 by TALENT (R-MO) – The Quality Care for the Uninsured Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

House of Representatives

Senate

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15. General issue area code LAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues
S. 250 by HATCH (R-UT) -- Federal Prosecutor Ethics Act

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15. General issue area code LBB (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 1441 Truth in Employment Act of 1999
H.R. 1380 Working Families Flexibility Act
S. 385 Safety Advancement for Employees Act of 1999
H.R. 2864 Occupational Safety and Health Administration Compliance Assistance Authorization Act of 1997
H.R. 325 by BONIOR (D-MI) -- American Family Fair Minimum Wage Act of 1999
S. 2330 - Patients Protection Act
S. 192 by KENNEDY, EDWARD (D-MA) -- Fair Minimum Wage Act of 1999
S. 300 by JEFFORDS (R-VT) -- Health Care Quality, Education, Security, and Trust Act
S. 6 by DASCHLE (D-SD) -- Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 1999
Davis Bacon/Helper Regulations
President Clinton's Executive Order for Project Labor Agreements
S. 1070 Ergonomics Regulations
S. 1157 Davis Bacon Repeal
H.R. 1427 OSHA Reform
H.R. 1434 OSHA Reform
H.R. 1436 OSHA Reform
H.R. 1437 OSHA Reform
H.R. 1438 OSHA Reform
H.R. 1439 OSHA Reform
H.R. 1459 OSHA Reform
H.R. 541 by DELAURO (D-CT) -- Paycheck Fairness Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
Senate
House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code LBB (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 627 by SANDERS (I-VT) – Livable Wage Act of 1999
H.R. 792 by GOODLATTE (R-VA) – National Right to Work Act
H.R. 964 by QUINN (R-NY) – Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, Amendment
H.R. 987 by BLUNT (R-MO) – Workplace Preservation Act
H.R. 1271 Fair Pay Act
H.R. 1380 Comp. Time
H.R. 1441 Truth in Employment
H.R. 1987 by GOODLING (R-PA) – Fair Access to Indemnity and Reimbursement Act
H.R. 2639 by BONILLA (R-TX) – Sound Scientific Practices Act
H.R. 3081 by LAZIO (R-NY) - Wage and Employment Growth Act of 1999
S. 74 by DASCHLE (D-SD) – Paycheck Fairness Act
S. 337 by HUTCHINSON, TIM (R-AR) – Truth in Employment Act
S. 385 by ENZI (R-WY) – Safety Advancement for Employees (SAFE) Act of 1999
S. 424 by COVERDELL (R-GA) – National Right to Work Act of 1999
S. 650 by WELLSTONE (D-MN) – Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, Amendment
S. 651 by WELLSTONE (D-MN) – Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, Amendment
S. 652 by WELLSTONE (D-MN) – Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, Amendment
S. 653 by WELLSTONE (D-MN) – Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, Amendment
S. 702 Fair Pay Act
S. 654 Right to Organize
S. 1158 by HUTCHISON (R-AR) – Fair Access to Indemnity and Reimbursement Act
S. 1600 by HARKIN (D-IA) – The Older Workers Pension Protection Act
S. 1708 by MOYNIHAN (D-NY) – The Pension Reduction Disclosure Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None
Senate
House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code TAX (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 134 by ENGLISH (R-PA) – Simplified USA Tax Act of 1999
H.R. 2488 by ARCHER (R-TX) – Financial Freedom Act of 1999

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate
House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code IOB (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 353 by GRASSLEY (R-IA) - Class Action Fairness Act of 1999
S. 1854 by HATCH (R-UT) - Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1999
H.R. 1875 by GOODLATTE (R-VA) - Interstate Class Action Jurisdiction Act of 1999

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate
House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code IRA (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

S. 545 by HOLLINGS (D-SC) – Transportation, Title 49 U.S.C., Amendment
S. 1053 Overturning EPA regulations affecting highways
H.R. 115 by DELAURO (D-CT) – National Infrastructure Development Act of 1999
H.R. 953 by BOEHLERT (R-NY) – Transportation, Title 49 U.S.C., Amendment

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15. General issue area code IRD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 2621 - Fast Track
H.R. 1302 - Inside Sales
S. 112 by GRAMM (R-TX) - America Free Trade Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Senate
House of Representatives

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15. General issue area code WAS (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R. 79 by BILIRAKIS (R-FL) -- Solid Waste Disposal Act, Amendment
H.R. 286 by SWEENEY (R-NY) -- Hazardous Waste Recycling Tax Credit Act of 1999
H.R. 378 by GILLMOR (R-OH) -- Regulation of Solid Waste, Authorization

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Senate
House of Representatives
Environmental Protection Agency

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this area

<u>Name</u>	<u>Covered Official Position (if applicable)</u>	<u>New</u>
Brenda Fleming		
Mike Toohey		

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

Registrant Name Ashland Inc. Client Name Self

Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

21. Client new principal place of business (if different from line 20)

City

State/Zip (or Country)

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is no longer expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that no longer pertain

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AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal Place of Business (city and state or country)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is no longer affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Address	Principal place of business (city and state or country)	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Ownership percentage in client

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that no longer owns, or controls, or is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature

Michael J. Toohy

Date

February 10, 2000

Printed Name and Title

MICHAEL J. TOOHY

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